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CALIFORNIA MAN WINNER OF CHARLEROI MARATHON

Matthew M. Lyle and M. Honlconer Have Exciting Finish.

LARGE CROWD PRESENT

Warm Day Did Not Keep People From Enjoying The Race.

Matthew M. Lyle, of California, a well known young man, won the second Charleroi modified Marathon race at the baseball park yesterday afternoon. The time was 1 hour, 45 minutes and 30 seconds. This was just 8 minutes and 17 seconds slower than the time made by Earl Wilkins of Vesta, at the race here on April 29. This is accounted for chiefly by the intense heat. The prizes will be awarded this evening at 7:30 o'clock in front of the jewelry establishment of J. W. McKean. An immense crowd viewed the race.

The winners in their order are as follows: 1—M. M. Lyle, California; 2—Honlconer, Vesta; 3—Thomas Vesta; 4—Albert Schoener, Victor Hill, Vesta; 5—Victor Hill, Vesta; 6—Charles Lyle, Charleroi; 7—Lewis W. Walch, Eldora; 8—Sendulka, Donora; 9—J. D. Simpson, Charleroi; 10—J. D. Donora. As some surprise in the run, Albert Schoener, the son of the Charleroi Charleroi. This had 16 but shows great staying power. Many persons had picked up Crawford of Charleroi as a probable winner, but on account of his ankles he had to drop out after he had started on the third mile. He was leading at the time, and had dropped into a steady pace that would have quickly carried him away from the runners all suffered more or less and nearly every one was out at one time or another for a moment or two.

LARGE CROWD AT PARK YESTERDAY

Dancing Pavilion Was Well Filled Afternoon and Evening.

Sunday and yesterday drew immense crowds to Eldora Park. The orchestral concert Sunday was highly enjoyed, particularly the cornet solos by Marie Pagan, who is one of the most noted woman cornetists in this section of the State. Her selections were so well received that it is probable that she will be engaged to take part in many of the musical programs during the season.

While there was no special program for yesterday, the park was crowded with private picnic parties and young people who desired the pleasure of dancing. The big pavilion was thronged all day, and one of the largest dancing crowds that ever assembled there was present last night. Although the restaurant and refreshments stands were bountifully supplied they were "eaten out" in the shank of the evening.

Miss Charlotte Shanks was in Monongahela Sunday visiting friends.

J. K. Toner, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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Charleroi Woman Sues For Big Damages

Alleges That Railroad Company is to Blame for Husband's Death.

Daisy M. Provins of Charleroi has entered suit in the Allegheny county courts against the Pennsylvania Railroad company to recover \$5,000, damages for the death of her husband, Jesse L. Provins.

She states that her husband was waiting at Charleroi station July 18, 1907, when a heavy crane fell on him and inflicted injuries which resulted in his death a few days latter.

NEW ICE PLANT IS OPENED HERE

Charleroi Man Will Manufacture Article—Large Storage House.

Charleroi people may not be generally aware of a new and important industry which has been established in the hill district. This is the ice making and cold storage plant of Geo. W. Moody, whose meat market at Crest avenue has long been one of the established businesses in that line. Mr. Moody now has an ice plant whose daily capacity is twelve tons, and he is already increasing and adding to its capacity.

While Mr. Moody's primary object in installing the ice plant was for refrigerating purposes for his meat market, the production is an important one for the town, as scarcely a season goes by in which the supply frequently runs short. At present Mr. Moody uses the city water for freezing which is not effective.

By using clean ice, he is adding new equipment by which he will use water from deeply drilled wells. He is installing two new gas engines each 30 horse-power, together with pumping apparatus and other appliances to increase his capacity. This will include a plate system, where ice is frozen in mammoth plates and sawed up into merchantable blocks. He will also add a cooling tower, whereby the water from the condensers can be cooled and used over again without waste.

In addition to the manufacturing plant Mr. Moody has a fine system of cold storage and refrigeration. The coolers in his meat market are supplied with cold air instead of ice, which gives much better results. In one of his coolers the temperature registers 28 degrees, and it can be regulated to suit requirements.

He also supplies the Arctic Ice company which caters to the retail trade.

Popular Couple Wed.

The marriage of Alfred Lange and Miss Mary Breuer, of Washington avenue, was solemnized at Washington Saturday. Mr. Lange is a decorator at the Macbeth Evans factory and leader and first violinist of the Turn Verein orchestra, and is well and favorably known. The bride is a popular young woman and has a wide circle of friends. They will be at home to their friends at 516 Washington avenue.

Miss Adda McCarthy of North Charleroi has gone to Beallsville where she will visit friends.

MURDEROUS BAND SAID TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SHOOTING

Italian Killed at Monessen Sunday by Man From Whom He Was Alleged to Have Demanded Money.

At the coroner's inquest on the death of Joe Zappe, at Monessen held yesterday, it was brought out that a well organized band of Black Hands was prevalent in the vicinity, and it is thought that this band was responsible for the Italian's death. At the inquest Raffaele Caputo, the man who was said to have done the shooting that caused Zappe's death, was exonerated. Chief of Police Woolsey later brought information before Justice of the Peace Watkins on a charge of murder against the man, and he was held without bail for court, and was taken to Greensburg today.

A number of witnesses were examined at the inquest. It appeared from testimony offered that Caputo had not very long ago been asked to join a beneficial society and did so. He had not been a member long until

CHARLEROI AND GRAFTON SPLIT EVEN

Cherubs Get The Better of West Virginians Through Hard Hitting Win Second.

MICHAELS ON THE GROUND HITTING BEE IN SEVENTH

Charleroi took the first game at Grafton yesterday by reason of their opportune hitting aided partly by the convenient errors of the West Virginia outfit. The game was practically featureless. It had to be played in the afternoon on account of rain in the morning.

Michaels pitched for Charleroi and

of which was for extra bases, that being a home run by Bobby Ball. Cornelius, who heretofore had seemed to have something on Charleroi was on the mound for Grafton, and pitched well, allowing the Cherubs but six hits. Grafton got one in the first, which by the way was their only score. Charleroi started in to do things in the second, when they secured a run. Another came in the fourth and one each in the sixth and ninth. The score:

CHARLEROI.					
Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Nally, r.....	0	2	3	0	0
Elliott, l.....	0	0	1	0	0
Humphries, m.....	0	0	2	0	0
Knicey, m.....	1	1	0	0	0
Conway, c.....	1	0	3	1	0
Harrell, 2.....	3	0	3	0	2
Smith, l.....	1	10	0	0	0
Kennedy, s.....	1	2	1	0	0
Urban, 3.....	0	0	2	4	0
Michaels, p.....	0	0	1	5	0
Totals.....	6	27	11	2	

GRAFTON.

Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Rothermal, 2.....	0	2	2	1	
Bails, s.....	1	2	2	1	
Gainer, 3.....	0	2	2	1	
Zinn, l.....	0	0	5	0	
D. Raley, r.....	0	0	2	0	
Gainer, m.....	0	0	0	0	
Winters, l.....	1	9	0	2	
R. Raley, c.....	0	5	3	0	
Cornelius, p.....	0	0	3	0	
*Patterson.....	0	0	0	0	
Totals.....	1	5	27	11	5

*Batted for D. Raley in the ninth inning.

Charleroi.....0 1 0 3 0 1 0 0 1-6
Grafton.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-1
Two base hit—Knicey. Home run—Bail. Double plays—Urban to Smith, Michaels to Smith. Sacrifice hits—Gainer, Urban. Stolen bases—Bail, Nally, Conway. Struck out—By Michaels 2, by Cornelius 5. Base on balls—Off Michaels 3, off Cornelius 3. Hit by pitcher—Knicey, Harrell. Umpire—Featheringham. Time 2—hours.

Good Exhibition Tonight.

Athletic circles are interested in the exhibition to be given by the Charleroi Active Turners at Turner Hall tonight. As previously stated in the Mail the Monongahela Actives and their ladies' class will assist, and this, with the singing section of the local society, will round out a most interesting program. Dancing will follow the entertainment.

Firemen Meet Tonight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Volunteer Fire Department will be held in their rooms in the borough building tonight. As business of importance is to be transacted a full attendance is desired.

DEDICATION OF BEAUTIFUL LUTHERAN CHURCH SUNDAY

Fights Furnish Much Excitement

In Row One Foreigner is Struck On Head With Heavy Stone.

Memorial Day was quiet in police circles in Charleroi, but Saturday evening sixteen were arrested on various charges. Five foreigners were arrested on a charge of fighting, one of them, the person who started the row having been seriously hurt. The affair occurred when the bunch were on their way home from a wedding celebration on the hill between Lincoln avenue and Eighth street. One was struck on the head with a large stone, and was unconscious for over two hours. All were fined.

LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING TONIGHT

Expected Much of Importance Will be Done Towards Hospital Work.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Monessen General Hospital of Charleroi will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Merchant's Association rooms, at which time they will take up plans by which they can best aid the hospital work. Following this meeting the real work will begin. The Women's Auxiliary is growing, and now has a much increased membership over what they had at the start.

This afternoon the executive committee and a few others made a visit to the hospital for an inspection. They will make a report this evening and any action that will be taken toward

will be largely governed by this:

WELL KNOWN MAN KILLED

Train Strikes Albany Resident—Brother of Mrs. James Gelder of Charleroi.

Ross Brewer, 35 years old, of Albany, a brother of Mrs. James Gelder of Charleroi, was killed on the No. 1 railroad bridge at West Brownsville Junction sometime between 12 o'clock midnight and 6 o'clock Sunday morning. It is supposed that he was crossing the bridge when he was struck. Both legs were cut off, and the body was otherwise mangled. Brewer was a miner and was employed in the Albany mines. He is survived by his father and mother, Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Brewer of Albany, three sisters, Mrs. Gelder of Charleroi, Mrs. Joseph Hertzog of Albany and Miss Oliva Brewer of Lynn station, and two brothers, John Brewer of Banning and Allen Brewer at home. The funeral was held this afternoon from the home of his sister, Mrs. Hertzog in Albany. Brewer was a well known young man.

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Presentation of Edifice to Congregation by Jesse K. Johnson.

SERVICES MUCH ENJOYED

Meeting Each Night This Week With the Exception of Saturday.

The dedication of the beautiful \$29,000 church of the Christ Lutheran congregation of Charleroi, took place on Sunday. The real dedication of the edifice was in the morning, although during the day three services were held, all being well attended. Visiting ministers took part, and special music was a feature, the latter being in charge of Prof. C. S. Cornell of California. Solos were rendered by Mrs. James Schnelbach of Charleroi and Miss Minnie Storey, of Latrobe.

The church building was presented to the congregation for dedication Sunday morning by Jesse K. Johnston, chairman of the building committee, and the dedication was by the pastor, Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz. The beautiful form of the service made the occasion most impressive, and one long to be remembered. The sermon for dedication day was delivered by Rev. Alonzo J. Turkle of Pittsburgh. Two handsome silver loving cups were presented by the congregation to Rev. Frontz and Mr. Johnston, for their faithful work in the erection of the church building. A month vacation was also granted Rev. Frontz.

Sunday afternoon fraternal service was held in which local and visiting ministers took part. The feature of this service was the five minute addresses of the various divines.

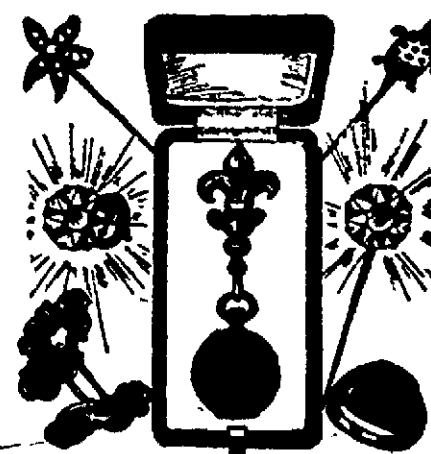
The various churches of Charleroi had dismissed their congregations, for the evening, and took part in this meeting, so that the church was crowded to overflowing. Rev. J. Elmer Bittle, missionary superintendent of the Pittsburgh synod, made the address of the evening, in which he congratulated the members of the church upon their faithful effort, and wished for them much success in the future.

The first of the week services was held last evening, it being in the form of a rally of Charleroi Sunday school workers. The address was made by Rev. Charles S. Albert, D. D., of Philadelphia, editor of the Augsburg Sunday School Lessons. The orchestra of the M. E. church furnished music. A feature of the evening was the attendance of some of the organized adult classes of other churches.

Tonight a men's meeting will be held at which time William C. Stoeber, Esq., of Philadelphia will speak. Wednesday a women's meeting will be held.

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Happiness and Patriotism.

Owing to its "newness" and cosmopolitan population, the ordinary ceremonies which mark the observance of Memorial Day were lacking in Charleroi, but the spirit of reverence, which prompted the people to take a general holiday was most generally manifested. Wherever it was possible industry and business were suspended, and the people took a holiday. With auspicious weather, and the numerous outdoor attractions the occasion was appreciated, particularly by the working people.

By providing a clean athletic event Charleroi performed a great service to the crowds of people in search of recreation. The Marathon race attracted a vast crowd of men, women and children, and the contests, while close and exciting, contained no vicious elements. While in some quarters a disposition may exist to censure the observance of Memorial Day as a holiday for recreation, there is really no legitimate reason for this. The true spirit of patriotism is manifested in the general suspension of everyday duties, and with rational enjoyment of a day free from business cares and anxieties each individual is better equipped to fulfill the duties of citizenship. Where happiness and contentment prevail is to be found the highest degree of patriotism.

More than Equal.

As a matter of home pride and local patriotism, it is always political ethics for a community to support a local candidate for a county State or National office. The spirit of neighborliness and appreciation of personal favors, as well as good citizenship, should command a special effort to give a worthy candidate the solid support of his home district. It is an unwritten rule of political action in a party contest for nominations, where several worthy candidates are entered. "All things being equal, support the home candidate."

So far as Charleroi and the river district are concerned, things are more than equal in the candidacy of John H. Moffitt for the Republican nomination for recorder. While one of Charleroi's most loyal citizens and prominent business men for several years, Mr. Moffitt is a native of the up-river district, and has also had extensive and honorable business relations in different sections of the community. A public spirited citizen, a generous contributor to every worthy cause, and a good and kind-hearted neighbor with a genial disposition that makes friends at every turn, Mr. Moffitt is worthy of the united support of this section at the primary election next Saturday. Add to these personal qualifications a good business training and a successful career, and there is no reason why any of his friends and neighbors should fail to vote for him. Everything is more than equal in his favor.

The large crowds of shoppers that thronged the streets and stores of Charleroi last Saturday evening, as well as the generous purchasing of the holiday crowd yesterday, is ample evidence that business conditions are materially improving. The most of the stores report greatly increased monthly sales this year over the sales of last year for the same period, and each succeeding month has thus far brought an increased volume of trade. This condition can easily be verified by the larger crowds of out-of-town people who come to Charleroi to trade on the evening and succeeding days of the general up-river pay-day. Last year these crowds were conspicuous to a considerable degree by their absence. This year a general pay-day crowds the streets and store. This is decidedly like old times, and the increased bank deposits as shown by last reports, indicate that money conditions are getting decidedly easier. Labor is more generally employed and brighter prospects are everywhere visible upon the industrial and business horizon of the upper Monongahela valley.

REAPER HAS RICH HARVEST MEMORIAL

Well Known People Die at Their Various Homes During Decoration Day

Arthur J. O'Kane
Arthur J. O'Kane, who for several months officiated as a singer at the Palace Theatre, died last Friday at the McGill Hospital in Steubenville, O., of alcoholism, the papers state. He was well known in Charleroi, having cultivated a wide acquaintance during his stay here. After leaving here he filled an engagement at the Recreation Nickelodeon in Pittsburgh, until three weeks previous to his death, when he went to Steubenville. He was a vocalist of rare ability, and but for his dissolute habits would have been eminently successful in his vocation.

In early days O'Kane was a baseball pitcher in the Eastern League. He was 36 years old, and is said to be survived by a wife in Kentucky.

Mrs. A. J. Morgan.

Mrs. Anna Jane Morgan, 72 years old, the wife of L. M. Morgan died last evening at her home in California at 8:30 o'clock after suffering some time with kidney trouble. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Highland cemetery. Those who survive are the husband and one daughter, Elizabeth at home, two sons, Attorney A. T. Morgan, of Pittsburgh, formerly a member of the Washington county bar, and P. W. Morgan of Wilmerding. Mrs. Morgan was a well known woman. She has been since her seventeenth year a member of the M. E. church, and was also a great temperance worker.

John A. Robison.

John A. Robison, 61 years old, died at his home at 327 Fallowfield avenue Sunday morning at 6:15 o'clock, after a week's illness of erysipelas. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the late residence, the services being conducted by Rev. A. N. Doak of the M. E. church. Interment was in the Maple Creek cemetery.

Mr. Robison is survived by his wife, two sons, Edward of Wyland and Louis at home, and one daughter Rebecca at home. The deceased was well known in Washington and Greene counties. A native of Fallowfield township, he remained in this section all his life, although for some years he resided in Waynesburg, where he was a sergeant in Co. K, National Guard. He with his family lived in Charleroi for 18 years.

Mrs. Patrick Lundy.

Mrs. Patrick Lundy, 54 years old, died suddenly at her home at Vesta yesterday at 4:20 p. m. She was in her accustomed health and had gone to the garden to gather some vegetables when she was stricken down. She was assisted into the house by her husband and a physician was immediately called, but she died before the latter arrived.

Mrs. Lundy was an affectionate wife and mother, and highly esteemed by her neighbors and friends, who were profoundly shocked by her sudden death. She is survived by her husband, Patrick Lundy, one of the prominent citizens of Vesta, and four sons and three daughters. These are: John of Fayette City, James of

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X. Y. Z. BLAMES PARENTS

Thinks Bringing Up of Children Has Much to do With Their School Work.

Editor Mail The writer would like to submit his opinion as to your editorial of the 25th, entitled "Ambition Lacking." No truer statement was ever penned than this. Not only is this true among juveniles, but it applies with equal force to the older class. The latter subscribes for the Mail and have their "adds" inserted, but it is doubtful if many of them ever see or read the editorials. Then they censure the poor children. The substance must extend from the "tree to the bark," and if the graduating class is not as large as it should be, the parents are to blame. Once more we claim the prestige of having the best schools for the amount paid per capita of any town in Pennsylvania. Being in a position to see I realize the negligence of the American people in appreciating their opportunity. The poorer class is in need of the help of their children, and the only time the juvenile court or the factory inspector hears of them is when they happen to commit some misdemeanor. The others are aspiring to baseball or football fame, and the girls are making their debut in society. The censure is well directed. A quite observer can easily see between the hours of 6 and 9 p. m. that some one is responsible for children running the streets instead of being directed to some study.

In conclusion, I would say that it would be well for Mail subscribers to read the editorials every day. Short as they seem they are to the local benefit.

Very truly yours,
X. Y. Z.
Charleroi, May 29.

CHARLEROI BEATS IMPS.

Rubs It In At Expense of Abie Kruger and Mister Limric.

Charleroi, by timely batting at the expense of Abie Kruger and one Limerick of Uniontown, won the game here Saturday by the score of 9 to 2. Four singles and a steal followed by Nally's homer in the second put Kruger to the tall uncut. Uniontown's runs were scored in the sixth when Phillips caught one of Humphries slow ones for a home run, sending Hilley home from second. The score: Charleroi, 0 5 1 0 3 6 0 0 x-9 13 4 Uniontown, 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0-2 5 3

Two base hits—Harrell, Nally. Three base hits—Elliott, Smith. Home runs Nally, Phillips. Sacrifice hits Elliott, Conway. Stolen base Harrell. Hit by pitcher, Rudolph, Hilley 2, Urban. Base on balls—Off Limerick 3. Struck out by Humphries 5, by Kruger 1. Umpire Featheringham.

Took Teacher's Exams.

Among those who took examinations for teachers' certificates before Supt. R. C. Crumrine at Finleyville Saturday were Nellie I. Scott and Rosetta B. Rodgers of Charleroi, and Hatti J. Lange and Laura Shirst of Allentown.

On the Cars of New York.
The surface cars of New York carry on each line as different a nationality as if each belonged to a different country. On the Eighth avenue line there are mostly colored people; on the Sixth avenue they are largely Americans, if there are any Americans in New York; on the Broadway cars there are stylishly dressed New Yorkers; on the Third avenue Irish and Jewish people predominate, on the Second avenue Jewish, Italian, Hungarian, Swedish and German, while on the surface cars that run along Avenue A you see every foreign nationality under the sun, all bunched.—New York Press.

Vain Regrets.

"That man Biffin lacks courage and energy."
"Yes, confound him!"
"Why do you say that?"
"Because he was courting my wife long before I met her. If he had had a little more courage and energy—But what's the use of talking about it now?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

What Rules the World.

When Napoleon caused the names of his dead soldiers to be inscribed on the face of Pompey's pillar, some one criticized the act as "a mere bit of imagination." "That is true," replied Napoleon, "but imagination rules the world."—Atlantic.

Compensation.

A young cadet was complaining of the tight fit of his uniform.
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While no new issues or questions are likely to be advanced in the coming campaign other than fitness and capability of the applicants, I wish to say that I stand as I have always done, for the broad principles of Republicanism and will always be ready to champion every policy of reform involving a higher standard of politics.

On one or two occasions I have permitted my name to be withdrawn from political contests for the sake of the party harmony, but after being active in aiding others for almost a score of years in reaching the goal of their ambitions, I am now presenting myself for the first time as a candidate for the office of County Recorder, for which primaries will be held June 5th, 1909.

FOR RECORDER



JOHN H. MOFFITT
CHARLEROI, PA.

A Personal Statement To The Republican Voters of Washington County.



One week remains of the campaign before the nominations next Saturday, June 5th. As a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds I have made an effort to see as many of the Republican voters, as my time and money would justify, some I have not seen, but I have endeavored to reach all, in some way or other if not personally, through letters and the public newspapers. I have conducted my canvass in a friendly way in my relation with the other aspirants for this office. I recognize that it is the right of any man in the party to aspire to any of the offices which are at the disposal of the people.

During the last days of the campaign I want to thank my friends who have aided and are working for me and ask them to continue their personal efforts up until the closing of the polls. While much has been rumored and written concerning the line-up of the different factions of the party in the campaign for Recorder, I want to state that I am not identified with any faction, but have been, and am conducting my campaign on my merits.

I want to be Recorder and secure all the votes I can. My nomination will strengthen the party in the county because if elected I will not use the office to build up any faction or to make it a political factor. I propose if nominated and elected to the office to which I aspire to conduct it as a business man would conduct his own business having an eye single to the interests of those whom I will be called upon to serve.

I want to make a record for myself in this office by a business-like administration, courteous and fair treatment to all and to make it an office which will in no sense of the word be political. I feel that I have made a straightforward appeal to the voters of this county, have made no deals, have negotiated with no factions for support, but have placed my candidacy with the rank and file—the men who go to the polls and vote their convictions and I nominate my victory will be one of the people and of no political faction. Again soliciting the support of the voters of the county, I am, respectfully yours,

J. C. Sutherland.

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From New York.....\$92.00 From Baltimore.....\$86.75
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From New York.....\$90.00 From Baltimore.....\$55.15
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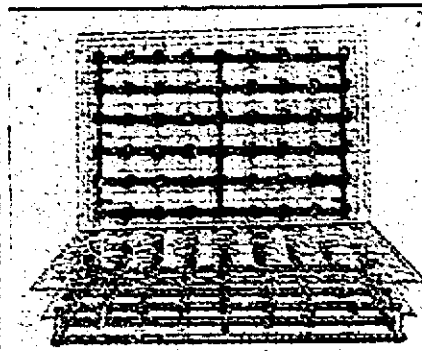
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ALEX. D. YOUNG

Alex. D. Young, candidate for the Republican nomination for Recorder of Washington county, is too well known to need formal introduction. His long service in the Recorder's office as deputy has brought him into close touch with the public and the uniformly courteous treatment accorded patrons of the office during his term of service has made him many substantial friends who are eager to rally to his support in the contest to be settled at the June primaries.

In point of qualifications no other candidate is so well equipped. Not another man in Washington county so well understands how to conduct the business of the office and there is no more deserving candidate. While at no time in his career has Mr. Young been identified with factional politics, he has at all times since attaining his majority been a strict adherent to the principles of the party of his choice.

On his record as deputy recorder, established by many years of faithful service and on his record for party regularity Mr. Young solicits the support of Washington county Republicans.

Berryman's

CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE

Prepare Yourself for the Great June Sale That Starts on Next Friday

This is fair notice to everybody in Charleroi that we expect them to attend this sale and to buy all the bargains we will offer. Nothing just like this sale has ever happened before. The values in domestics and white goods and linens have never been equaled and the offerings in the second floor in the suit room and the millinery department we made with the intentions of quickly selling a large amount of stock.

Today A very important sale of muslin underwear. The choice of a full stock of the finest and best made garments in the city. The underwear is very unusual in many ways. The quality of the materials, the beauty of the trimmings, and the faultless cut and style of the entire garment. We are underwear leaders in more ways than in price.

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Mrs. S. B. McGarvy of Clairton and Mrs. Charles Robinson of Uniontown spent yesterday with Mrs. R. J. Lysle of McKean avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kuth of Uniontown were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuth of McKean avenue over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters were at Fayette City this afternoon attending the funeral of Mrs. Adliza Weed who died at her home in Pittsburg on Saturday. Mrs. Weed was well known in this vicinity.

The Young Ladies' Altar Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold a social in the basement of the church on Wednesday evening of this week. Friends of the society are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served and games arranged to while away the evening in a pleasant way. 248t2

William Hott left on Sunday for Frostburg, Md., where he will spend two weeks with friends and relatives.

Roy Richards, who is employed in Wilkinsburg, spent Memorial Day in Charleroi at his home.

Thomas Youngman of Toronto, Ohio, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of his parents, on Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Thomas Riley and Mrs. Anthony Brondor are in Pittsburg today to attend the funeral of the latter's brother-in-law, Jacob Brondor.

Mrs. Edward Youngman of Brad-dock is spending a few days with friends in Charleroi.

Alex Bradoc of Fayette City spent Monday in Charleroi with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters returned yesterday from a few days visit with their son, Edgar B. Walters at Morgantown, W. Va.

R. H. Rush, cashier of the First National Bank, spent Memorial Day in Uniontown with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meyers are in Hancock, Md., where they will spend several days.

Grecian Food for Dreamers.
Hasheesh, the strange drug which has given our language its word "assassin"—a man so frenzied by the drug that he accomplishes murder—is used by the Persians, Turks and Egyptians in a manner akin to the use of opium by the Chinese. It is the product of a plant grown in large quantities in the Peloponnesus (southern Greece), in the district about Tripolizza. The plant grows to a height of about four feet, and its branches are thickly covered with small leaves and studded with tiny seeds. The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes the drug. The drug has the power of inducing sleep and producing pleasant and fantastic dreams. Continued use of hasheesh renders its devotees reckless and results in a wreck of their mental and physical constitution.—Montreal Standard.

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FOR RENT—Furnished room with board for man and wife or two young men 318 Washington avenue. 242tf
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WANTED Several good men and women agents for weekly industrial Accident and Health Insurance. Salary and commission. Write stating name and address to Box 7, Charleroi, Pa. May 29 June 247t2p

P. & W. Va. League.

Yesterday's Results.			
Clarksburg.....1	Fairmont.....0	Uniontown.....5	Uniontown.....4
Connellsville.....6	Grafton.....1		
Uniontown.....9	Connellsville.....1	Fairmont.....10	Clarksburg.....4
Grafton.....5	Charleroi.....3		
Standing of the Clubs.			
Fairmont.....18	W. L. Pot. 7	230	
Uniontown.....18	7	500	
Clarksburg.....12	14	462	
Connellsville.....11	14	440	
Grafton.....11	14	440	
Charleroi.....10	13	435	
Today's Schedule.			
Clarksburg at Uniontown			
Charleroi at Connellsville.			
Fairmont at Grafton.			

HERE IS RELIEF FOR WOMEN.
If you have pains in the back, Urinary, Bladder or Kidney trouble and want a certain, pleasant herb relief from Women's Ills, try Mother Gray's "AUSTRALIAN-LEAF." It is a safe, reliable regulator, and relieves all Female Weaknesses, including inflammation and ulcerations. Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf is sold by Druggists or sent by mail for 50 cts. Sample sent FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N.Y.

Notice to Contractors.
The school board of West Pike Run township will receive bids up until 2 o'clock, Saturday, June 5, 1922, for the building of an addition of two rooms to the Duff's town school building. Plans and specifications can be seen at the home of the secretary, R. H. Morris, 1156 Mail office, or at all bids.
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A young fellow, when he saw this Suit the other day, smiled, then laughed, then marked: "Oh, you kid!" since then we have been selling this the Oh you-kid! It seems to tell the story of a nutshell. For the suit is thoroughly modern, swagger and rakish. It contains everything that is dashing and swell, and they sell on sight. They are not freakish—but great! Made in all variations of brown, green, gray, blue and fancy mixtures and offered (with a real guarantee) at

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New smoke grays, loud plaids, olive greens, iridescent browns, and self-striped blues. Two, three, four and five button-coat effects. Trousers in any way you like 'em best.
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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1909.

One Cent

CALIFORNIA MAN WINNER OF CHARLEROI MARATHON

Matthew M. Lyle and M. Honlconer Have Exciting Finish.

LARGE CROWD PRESENT

Warm Day Did Not Keep People From Enjoying The Race.

Matthew M. Lyle, of California, a well known young man, won the second Charleroi modified Marathon race at the baseball park yesterday afternoon. The time was 1 hour, 45 minutes and 30 seconds. This was just 8 minutes and 17 seconds slower than the time made by Earl Wilkins of Vesta, at the race here on April 29. This is accounted for chiefly by the intense heat. The prizes will be awarded this evening at 7:30 o'clock in front of the jewelry establishment of J. W. McKean. An immense crowd viewed the race.

The winners in their order are as follows: 1-M. M. Lyle, California; 2-Thomas Honlconer, Vesta; 3-Albert Schoener, Vesta; 4-Albert Schoener, Vesta; 5-Victor Hill, Vesta; 6-Charleroi; 7-Lew Charleroi; 8-Albert Dagnall, Vesta; 9-Louis Welch, Eldora; 10-Sendulka, Donora; 11-McDonough, Charleroi; 12-J. Donora.

There was some surprise in the run of Albert Schoener, the son of the Charleroi Charleroi. This last year he won the race but shows great staying power. Many persons had picked Crawford of Charleroi as a probable winner, but on account of bad ankles he had to drop out after he had started on the third mile. He was leading at the time, and had dropped into a steady pace that would have quickly carried him away from the bunch. On account of the heat the runners all suffered more or less and nearly every one was out at one time or another for a moment or two.

LARGE CROWD AT PARK YESTERDAY

Dancing Pavilion Was Well Filled Afternoon and Evening.

Sunday and yesterday drew immense crowds to Eldora Park. The orchestral concert Sunday was highly enjoyed, particularly the cornet solos by Marie Pagan, who is one of the most noted women cornetists in this section of the State. Her selections were so well received that it is probable that she will be engaged to take part in many of the musical programs during the season.

While there was no special program for yesterday, the park was crowded with private picnic parties and young people who desired the pleasure of dancing. The big pavilion was thronged all day, and one of the largest dancing crowds that ever assembled there was present last night. Although the restaurant and refreshment stands were bountifully supplied they were "eaten out" in the shank of the evening.

Miss Charlotte Shanks was in Monongahela Sunday visiting friends.

Charleroi Woman Sues For Big Damages

Alleges That Railroad Company is to Blame for Husband's Death.

Daisy M. Provins of Charleroi has entered suit in the Allegheny county courts against the Pennsylvania Railroad company to recover \$5,000, damages for the death of her husband, Jesse L. Provins.

She states that her husband was waiting at Charleroi station July 18, 1907, when a heavy crane fell on him and inflicted injuries which resulted in his death a few days later.

NEW ICE PLANT IS OPENED HERE

Charleroi Man Will Manufacture Article—Large Storage House.

Charleroi people may not be generally aware of a new and important industry which has been established in the hill district. This is the ice making and cold storage plant of Geo. W. Moody, whose meat market at Crest avenue has long been one of the established businesses in that line. Mr. Moody now has an ice plant whose daily capacity is twelve tons, and he is already increasing and adding to its capacity.

While Mr. Moody's primary object in installing the ice plant was for refrigerating purposes for his meat market, the production is an important one for the town, as scarcely a season goes by in which the supply frequently runs short. At present Mr. Moody uses the city water for freezing, which is first effectively filtered. While this makes good, clean ice, he is adding new equipment by which he will use water from deeply drilled wells. He is installing two new gas engines each 30-horse-power, together with pumping apparatus and other appliances to increase his capacity. This will include a plate system, where ice is frozen in mammoth plates and sawed up into merchantable blocks. He will also add a cooling tower, whereby the water from the condensers can be cooled and used over again without waste.

In addition to the manufacturing plant Mr. Moody has a fine system of cold storage and refrigeration. The coolers in his meat market are supplied with cold air instead of ice, which gives much better results. In one of his coolers the temperature registers 28 degrees, and it can be regulated to suit requirements.

He also supplies the Arctic Ice company which caters to the retail trade.

Popular Couple Wed.

The marriage of Alfred Lange and Miss Mary Brewer, of Washington avenue, was solemnized at Washington Saturday. Mr. Lange is a decorator at the Macbeth Evans factory and leader and first violinist of the Turn Verein orchestra, and is well and favorably known. The bride is a popular young woman and has a wide circle of friends. They will be at home to their friends at 816 Washington avenue.

Miss Adda McCarthy of North Charleroi has gone to Beallsville where she will visit friends.

MURDEROUS BAND SAID TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SHOOTING

Italian Killed at Monessen Sunday by Man From Whom He Was Alleged to Have Demanded Money.

At the coroner's inquest on the death of Joe Zappe, at Monessen held yesterday, it was brought out that a well known band of Black Hand men was prevalent in the vicinity, and it is thought that this band was responsible for the Italian's death. At the inquest Raffaele Caputo, the man who was said to have done the shooting that caused Zappe's death, was exonerated. Chief of Police Woolsey later brought information before Justice of the Peace Watkins on a charge of murder against the man, and he was held without bail for court, and was taken to Greensburg today.

A number of witnesses were examined at the inquest. It appeared from testimony offered that Caputo had not very long ago been asked to join a beneficial society and did so. He had not been a member long until

he was informed that it was in reality the Black Hand, and withdrew, but not until after the others had extracted from him \$21. The other members of the society were greatly incensed at his failure to keep the vows of the order, and it was supposed sent him a Black Hand letter, stating that he was to give them \$200 or suffer death. This he refused to do and the Sunday shooting is supposed to have been the result.

It is more than likely that a rigid investigation will follow, and the Mafia society, if there be one there, be driven out of the vicinity.

It is supposed that the Italians mixed in this affair are the same ones that a little more than a week back-mailed Michael Giva, a well known Italian Monessen merchant out of \$200.

CHARLEROI AND GRAFTON SPLIT EVEN

Cherubs Get The Better of West Virginians Through Hard Hitting Win Second.

MICHAELS ON THE GROUND BATTING BEE IN SEVENTH

Charleroi took the first game at Grafton yesterday by reason of their opportune hitting aided partly by the convenient errors of the West Virginia outfit. The game was practically featureless. It had to be played in the afternoon on account of rain in the morning.

Michaels pitched for Charleroi, and held Grafton down to 5 hits, only one of which was for extra bases, that being a home run by Bobby Bail. Cornelius, who heretofore had seemed to have something on Charleroi was on the mound for Grafton, and pitched well, allowing the Cherubs but six hits. Grafton got one in the first, which by the way was their only score. Charleroi started in to do things in the second, when they secured a run. Another came in the fourth and one each in the sixth and ninth. The score:

CHARLEROI.					
Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Nally, r.	0	2	3	0	0
Elliott, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Humphries, m.	0	0	2	0	0
Knically, m.	1	1	3	0	0
Conway, c.	1	0	3	1	0
Harrell, 2.	3	0	3	0	2
Smith, l.	0	1	0	0	0
Kennedy, s.	1	2	1	1	0
Urban, 3.	0	0	2	4	0
Michaels, p.	0	0	1	5	0
Totals.	6	6	27	11	2

GRAFTON.					
Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Rothermal, 2.	0	0	2	2	1
Bails, s.	1	2	2	2	1
Gainer, s.	0	2	2	1	1
Zinn, l.	0	0	5	0	0
D. Raley, r.	0	0	2	0	0
Gainer, m.	0	0	0	0	0
Winters, l.	0	1	0	2	0
R. Raley, c.	0	0	5	3	0
Cornelius, p.	0	0	0	3	0
Patterson.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	1	5	27	11	5

*Batted for D. Raley in the ninth inning.

Charleroi.....0 1 0 3 0 1 0 0 1-6
Grafton.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-5
Two base hit—Knically. Home run—Bail. Double plays—Urban to Smith, Michaels to Smith. Sacrifice hits—Gainer, Urban. Stolen bases—Bail, Nally, Conway. Struck out—By Michaels 2, by Cornelius 5. Base on balls—Off Michaels 3, off Cornelius 8. Hit by pitcher—Knically, Harrell. Umpire—Featheringham. Time 2 hours.

Good Exhibition Tonight.

Athletic circles are interested in the performance to be given by the Charleroi "Active" Turners at Turner Hall tonight. As previously stated in the Mail the Monongahela Actives and their ladies' class will assist, and this, with the singing section of the local society, will round out a most interesting program. Dancing will follow the entertainment.

Griffiths started in to work for the Cherubs in the second game yesterday afternoon, but after the first round considered he had had enough and retired to middle field, letting Humphries, who was playing that position, come in to do the twirling stunt. Humphries was hit hard, but held his own well in hand until the seventh when a batting machine gave the Graftonites the contest.

Cross pitched for Grafton until the last part of the contest, when he became tired and was replaced by Fitzwater. The Cherubs hit them for nine safeties, but Nally's two bagger was the only extra base hit.

In this contest Grafton started off like a winner, getting two runs in short order. The Cherubs came back at them in the third, however, and chased two over the pan. In the seventh Charleroi got one and the West Virginians, by a batting rally, pulled off three, thus sewing up the game. The score:

Second Game.					
CHARLEROI.					
Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Nally, r.	1	2	3	0	0
Elliott, l.	0	1	4	0	0
Humphries, m-p.	0	2	1	1	0
Conway, c.	0	0	7	2	0
Harrell, 2.	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, l.	0	0	5	0	0
Kennedy, s.	0	2	4	1	0
Urban, 3.	0	1	0	1	1
Griffiths, p-m.	2	1	3	0	0
Totals.	3	9	27	5	1

GRAFTON.					
Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Rothermal, 2.	2	2	3	2	0
Bail, s.	1	1	0	2	1
Gainer, 3.	1	3	1	3	0
Zinn, l.	0	1	4	0	0
D. Raley, m.	0	2	0	0	0
Ganear, m.	0	1	3	1	0
McIlvaine, l.	0	1	3	0	0
R. Raley c.	0	0	3	1	0
Cross, p.	1	1	0	4	2
Fitzwater, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	5	12	27	13	3

Charleroi.....0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0-3
Grafton.....2 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0-5
Two base hits—Nally. Three base hit—Rothermal. Gainer. Double play—Kennedy, unassisted. Sacrifice hits—Bail, Zinn. Stolen bases—Kennedy 3, Gainer 2. Hits—Off Griffith 2 in 2-3 inning, off Humphries 10 in 8 1-3 innings, off Cross 9 in 8 2-3 innings. Struck out—By Humphries 6, by Cross 3. Bases on balls—Off Humphries 2. Wild pitch—Humphries. Umpire—Featheringham. Time 2 hours.

Firemen Meet Tonight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Volunteer Fire Department will be held in their rooms in the borough building tonight. As business of importance is to be transacted a full attendance is desired.

DEDICATION OF BEAUTIFUL LUTHERAN CHURCH SUNDAY

Fights Furnish Much Excitement

In Row One Foreigner is Struck On Head With Heavy Stone.

Memorial Day was quiet in police circles in Charleroi. On Sunday evening sixteen were arrested on various charges. Five foreigners were arrested on a charge of fighting, one of them, the person who started the row having been seriously hurt. The affair occurred when the bunch were on their way home from a wedding celebration on the hill between Lincoln avenue and Eighth street. One was struck on the head with a large stone, and was unconscious for over two hours. All were fined.

LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING TONIGHT

Expected Much of Importance Will be Done Towards Hospital Work.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Monessen General Hospital of Charleroi will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Merchant's Association rooms, at which time they will take up plans by which they can best aid the hospital work. Following this meeting the real work will begin. The Women's Auxiliary is growing, and now has a much increased membership over what they had at the start.

This afternoon the executive committee and a few others made a visit to the hospital for an inspection. They will make a report this evening and any action that will be taken toward bettering the hospital will be largely governed by this.

WELL KNOWN MAN KILLED

Train Strikes Albany Resident—Brother of Mrs. James Gelder of Charleroi.

Ross Brewer, 55 years old, of Albany, a brother of Mrs. James Gelder of Charleroi, was killed on the No. 1 railroad bridge at West Brownsville Junction sometime between 12 o'clock midnight and 6 o'clock Sunday morning. It is supposed that he was crossing the bridge when he was struck. Both legs were cut off, and the body was otherwise mangled.

Brewer was a miner and was employed in the Albany mines. He is survived by his father and mother, Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Brewer of Albany, three sisters, Mrs. Gelder of Charleroi, Mrs. Joseph Hertzog of Albany and Miss Olivia Brewer of Lynn station, and two brothers, John Brewer of Banning and Allen Brewer at home. The funeral was held this afternoon from the home of his sister, Mrs. Hertzog in Albany. Brewer was a well known young man.

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SERVICES MUCH ENJOYED

With the Exception of Saturday.

The dedication of the beautiful \$29,000 church of the Christ Lutheran congregation of Charleroi, took place on Sunday. The real dedication of the edifice was in the morning, although during the day three services were held, all being well attended. Visiting ministers took part, and special music was a feature, the latter being in charge of Prof. C. S. Cornell of California. Solos were rendered by Mrs. James Schnellbach of Charleroi and Miss Minnie Storey, of Latrobe.

The church building was presented to the congregation for dedication Sunday morning by Jesse K. Johnston, chairman of the building committee, and the dedication was by the pastor, Rev. Chaimers E. Frontz. The beautiful form of the service made the occasion most impressive, and one long to be remembered. The sermon for dedication day was delivered by Rev. Alonzo J. Turkle of Pittsburgh. Two handsome silver loving cups were presented by the congregation to Rev. Frontz and Mr. Johnston, for their faithful work in the erection of the church building. A month vacation was also granted Rev. Frontz.

Sunday afternoon fraternal service was held in which local and visiting ministers took part. The feature of this service was the five minute addresses of the various dignitaries.

The various churches of Charleroi had dismissed their congregations, for the evening, and took part in this meeting, so that the church was crowded to overflowing. Rev. J. Elmer Bittle, missionary superintendent of the Pittsburgh synod, made the address of the evening, in which he congratulated the members of the church upon their faithful effort, and wished for them much success in the future.

The first of the week services was held last evening, it being in the form of a rally of Charleroi Sunday school workers. The address was made by Rev. Charles S. Albert, D. D., of Philadelphia, editor of the Augsburg Sunday School Lessons. The orchestra of the M. E. church furnished music. A feature of the evening was the attendance of some of the organized adult classes of other churches.

Tonight a men's meeting will be held at which time William C. Stoeber, Esq., of Philadelphia will speak. Wednesday a women's meeting will be held.

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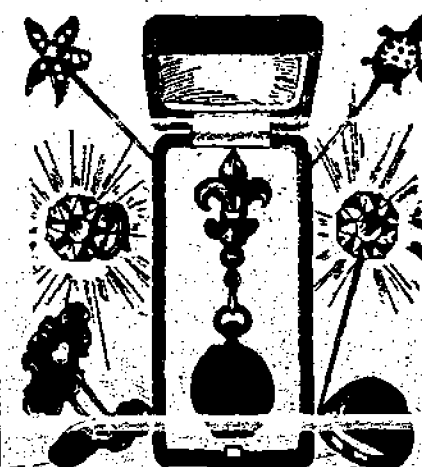
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Happiness and Patriotism.

Owing to its "newness" and cosmopolitan population, the ordinary ceremonies which mark the observance of Memorial Day were lacking in Charleroi, but the spirit of reverence, which prompted the people to take a general holiday was most generally manifested. Wherever it was possible industry and business were suspended, and the people took a holiday. With auspicious weather, and the numerous outdoor attractions the occasion was appreciated, particularly by the working people.

By providing a clean athletic event Charleroi performed a great service to the crowds of people in search of recreation. The Marathon race attracted a vast crowd of men, women and children, and the contests, while close and exciting, contained no vicious elements. While in some quarters a disposition may exist to censure the observance of Memorial Day as a holiday for recreation, there is really no legitimate reason for this. The true spirit of patriotism is manifested in the general suspension of everyday duties, and with rational enjoyment of a day free from business cares and anxieties each individual is better equipped to fulfill the duties of citizenship. Where happiness and contentment prevail is to be found the highest degree of patriotism.

More than Equal.

As a matter of home pride and local patriotism, it is always political ethics for a community to support a local candidate for a county State or National office. The spirit of neighborliness and appreciation of personal favors, as well as good citizenship, should command a special effort to give a worthy candidate the solid support of his home district. It is an unwritten rule of political action in a party contest for nominations, where several worthy candidates are entered. "All things being equal, support the home candidate."

So far as Charleroi and the river district are concerned, things are more than equal in the candidacy of John H. Moffitt for the Republican nomination for recorder. While one of Charleroi's most loyal citizens and prominent business men for several years, Mr. Moffitt is a native of the up-river district, and has also had extensive and honorable business relations in different sections of the community. A public spirited citizen, a generous contributor to every worthy cause, and a good and kind-hearted neighbor with a genial disposition that makes friends at every turn, Mr. Moffitt is worthy of the united support of this section at the primary election next Saturday. Add to these personal qualifications a good business training and a successful career, and there is no reason why any of his friends and neighbors should fail to vote for him. Everything is more than equal in his favor.

Business Improving.

The large crowds of shoppers that thronged the streets and stores of Charleroi last Saturday evening, as well as the generous purchasing of the holiday crowd yesterday, is ample evidence that business conditions are materially improving. The most of the stores report greatly increased monthly sales this year over the sales of last year for the same period, and each succeeding month has thus far brought an increased volume of trade. This condition can easily be verified by the larger crowds of out-of-town people who come to Charleroi to trade on the evening and succeeding days of the general up-river pay-day. Last year these crowds were conspicuous to a considerable degree by their absence. This year a general pay-day crowds the streets and store. This is decidedly like old times, and the increased bank deposits as shown by last reports, indicate that money conditions are getting decidedly easier. Labor is more generally employed and brighter prospects are everywhere visible upon the industrial and business horizon of the upper Monongahela valley.

REAPER HAS RICH HARVEST MEMORIAL

Well Known People Die at Their Various Homes During Decoration Day

Arthur J. O'Kane

Arthur J. O'Kane, who for several months officiated as a singer at the Palace Theatre, died last Friday at the McGill Hospital in Steubenville, O., of alcoholism, the papers state. He was well known in Charleroi, having cultivated a wide acquaintance during his stay here. After leaving here he filled an engagement at the Recreation Nickelodeon in Pitsburg, until three weeks previous to his death, when he went to Steubenville. He was a vocalist of rare ability, and but for his dissolute habits would have been eminently successful in his vocation.

In early days O'Kane was a baseball pitcher in the Eastern League. He was 36 years old, and is said to be survived by a wife in Kentucky.

Mrs. A. J. Morgan.

Mrs. Anna Jane Morgan, 72 years old, the wife of L. M. Morgan died last evening at her home in California at 8:30 o'clock after suffering some time with kidney trouble. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Highland cemetery. Those who survive are the husband and one daughter, Elizabeth at home, two sons, Attorney A. T. Morgan, of Pittsburg, formerly a member of the Washington county bar, and P. W. Morgan of Wilmerding.

Mrs. Morgan was a well known woman. She has been since her seventeenth year a member of the M. E. church, and was also a great temperance worker.

John A. Robison.

John A. Robison, 61 years old, died at his home at 327 Fallowfield avenue Sunday morning at 6:15 o'clock, after a week's illness of erysipelas. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the late residence, the services being conducted by Rev. A. N. Doak of the M. E. church. Interment was in the Maple Creek cemetery.

Mr. Robison is survived by his wife, two sons, Edward of Wyland and Louis at home, and one daughter Rebecca at home.

The deceased was well known in Washington and Greene counties. A native of Fallowfield township, he remained in this section all his life, although for some years he resided in Waynesburg, where he was a sergeant in Co. K, National Guard. He with his family lived in Charleroi for 18 years.

Mrs. Patrick Lundy.

Mrs. Patrick Lundy, 54 years old, died suddenly at her home at Vesta yesterday at 4:20 p. m. She was in her accustomed health and had gone to the garden to gather some vegetables when she was stricken down. She was assisted into the house by her husband and a physician was immediately called, but she died before he arrived.

Mrs. Lundy was an affectionate wife and mother, and highly esteemed by her neighbors and friends, who were profoundly shocked by her sudden death. She is survived by her husband, Patrick Lundy, one of the prominent citizens of Vesta, and four sons and three daughters. These are: John of Fayette City, James of

Stockdale, Eddie and Thomas, at home, Mrs. Wm. Comer of Vesta, and Rose and Maggie at home. The funeral will be held Thursday, the party leaving the house at 9 o'clock for service at St. Jerome's Catholic church in Charleroi at 9:30 a. m. Interment will take place in St. Mary's cemetery, Monongahela.

X. Y. Z. BLAMES PARENTS

Thinks Bringing Up of Children Has Much to do With Their School Work.

Editor Mail The writer would like to submit his opinion as to your editorial of the 28th, entitled "Ambition Lacking." No truer statement was ever penned than this. Not only is this true among juveniles, but it applies with equal force to the older class. The latter subscribes for the Mail and have their "adds" inserted, but it is doubtful if many of them ever see or read the editorials. Then they censure the poor children.

The substance must extend from the "tree to the bark," and if the graduating class is not as large as it should be, the parents are to blame. Once more we claim the prestige of having the best schools for the amount paid per capita of any town in Pennsylvania. Being in a position to see I realize the negligence of the American people in appreciating their opportunity. The poorer class is in need of the help of their children, and the only time the juvenile court or the factory inspector hears of them is when they happen to commit some misdemeanor. The others are aspiring to baseball or football fame, and the girls are making their debut in society. The censure is well directed. A quite observer can easily see between the hours of 5 and 9 p. m. that some one is responsible for children running the streets instead of being directed to some study.

In conclusion, I would say that it would be well for Mail subscribers to read the editorials every day. Short as they seem they are to the local benefit.

Very truly yours,

X. Y. Z.

Charleroi, May 29.

CHARLEROI BEATS IMPS

Rubs It In At Expense of Abie Kruger and Mister Limric.

Charleroi, by timely batting at the expense of Abie Kruger and one Limric of Uniontown, won the game here Saturday by the score of 9 to 2. Four singles and a steal followed by Nally's homer in the second put Kruger to the tail uncut. Uniontown's runs were scored in the sixth when Phillips caught one of Humphries slow ones for a home run, sending Hilley home from second. The score: Charleroi, 9 5 1 0 3 6 0 0 x-9 13 4 Uniontown, 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0-2 5 3 Two base hits—Harrell, Nally. Three base hits—Elliott, Smith. Home runs Nally, Phillips. Sacrifice hits Elliott, Conway. Stolen base Harrell. Hit by pitcher, Rudolph, Hilley 2, Urban. Base on balls—Off Limerick 2. Struck out by Humphries 5, by Kruger 1. Umpire Featheringham.

Took Teacher's Exams.

Among those who took examinations for teachers' certificates before Supt. R. C. Crumrine at Finleyville Saturday were Nellie L. Scott and Rosetta B. Rodgers of Charleroi, and Hathi J. Lange and Laura Shirst of Allentown.

On the Cars of New York. The surface cars of New York carry on each line as different a nationality as if each belonged to a different country. On the Eighth avenue line there are mostly colored people; on the Sixth avenue they are largely Americans, if there are any Americans in New York; on the Broadway cars there are stylishly dressed New Yorkers; on the Third avenue Irish and Jewish people predominate, on the Second avenue Jewish, Italian, Hungarian, Swedish and German, while on the surface cars that run along Avenue A you see every foreign nationality under the sun, all bunched together.—New York Press.

Vain Regrets.

"That man Biffin lacks courage and energy."
"Yes, confound him!"
"Why do you say that?"
"Because he was courting my wife long before I met her. If he had had a little more courage and energy—But what's the use of talking about it now?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

What Rules the World.

When Napoleon caused the names of his dead soldiers to be inscribed on the face of Pompey's pillar, some one cried: "That is a fine thing to do for a nation." "That is true," replied Napoleon, "but imagination rules the world."—Atlantic

Compensation.

A young cadet was complaining of the tight fit of his uniform.
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While no new issues or questions are likely to be advanced in the coming campaign other than fitness and capability of the applicants, I wish to say that I stand as I have always done, for the broad principles of Republicanism and will always be ready to champion every policy of reform involving a change from the present.

On one or two occasions I have permitted my name to be withdrawn from political contests for the sake of the party harmony, but after being active in aiding others for almost a score of years in reaching the goal of their ambitions, I am now presenting myself for the first time as a candidate for the office of County Recorder, for which primaries will be held June 5th, 1909.

A Personal Statement

To The Republican Voters of Washington County.



One week remains of the campaign before the nominations next Saturday, June 5th. As a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds I have made an effort to see as many of the Republican voters, as my time and money would justify; some I have met, but I have endeavored to reach all, in some way or other, if not personally, through letters and the public newspapers. I have conducted my campaign in a friendly way in my relation with the other aspirants for this office. I recognize that it is the right of any man in the party to aspire to any of the offices which are at the disposal of the people.

During the last days of the campaign I want to thank my friends who are now working for me and ask them to continue their personal efforts up until the closing of the polls. While much has been rumored and written concerning the line-up of the different factions of the party in the campaign for Recorder, I want to state that I am not identified with any faction, but have been, and am conducting my campaign on my merits.

I want to be Recorder and secure all the votes I can. My nomination will strengthen the party in the county because if elected I will not use the office to build up any faction or to make it a political factor. I propose if nominated and elected to the office to which I aspire to conduct it as a business man would conduct his own business having an eye single to the interests of those whom I will be called upon to serve.

I want to make a record for myself in this office by a business-like administration, courteous and fair treatment to all and to make it an office which will in no sense of the word be political. I feel that I have made a straightforward appeal to the voters of this county, have made no deals, have negotiated with no factions for support, but have placed my candidacy with the rank and file—the men who go to the polls and vote their convictions and if nominated my victory will be one of the people and of no political faction. Again soliciting the support of the voters of the county.

I am, respectfully yours,

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ALEX. D. YOUNG

Alex. D. Young, candidate for the Republican nomination for Recorder of Washington county, is too well known to need formal introduction. His long service in the Recorder's office as deputy has brought him into close touch with the public and the uniformly courteous treatment accorded patrons of the office during his term of service has made him many substantial friends who are eager to rally to his support in the contest to be settled at the June primary.

At a point of qualifications no other candidate is so well equipped as another man in Washington county so well understands how to conduct the business of the office and there is no more deserving candidate. While at no time in his career has Mr. Young been identified with factional politics, he has at all times since attaining his majority been a strict adherent to the principles of the party of his choice.

On his record as deputy recorder, established by many years of faithful service and on his record for party regularity, Mr. Young solicits the support of Washington county Republicans.

Pennsylvania Railroad

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Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, Seattle

JUNE 1 to OCTOBER 16

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FARES

From New York.....\$92.00	From Baltimore.....\$84.75
From Philadelphia.....\$9.40	From Washington.....\$6.75

Tickets good going and returning via direct routes.
Tickets good going or returning via San Francisco will be sold at \$15.25 higher than above fares from New York and Philadelphia, and at \$10.00 higher from Baltimore and Washington.

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RATES

From New York.....\$10.00	From Baltimore.....\$5.15
From Philadelphia.....\$7.40	From Washington.....\$5.15

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Tickets sold August 2 to 6, good returning to reach original starting point thirty days from date of sale.

RATES

From New York.....\$97.40	From Baltimore.....\$82.55
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Tickets sold June 23 to July 9, good returning until October 31, inclusive, 1909.

RATES

From New York.....\$92.50	From Baltimore.....\$85.40
From Philadelphia.....\$9.90	From Washington.....\$8.40

Tickets sold and good going and returning via direct routes.
Tickets good going or returning via Portland will be sold at \$14.75 higher than above fares from New York and Philadelphia, and at \$10.35 higher from Baltimore and Washington.

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RATES

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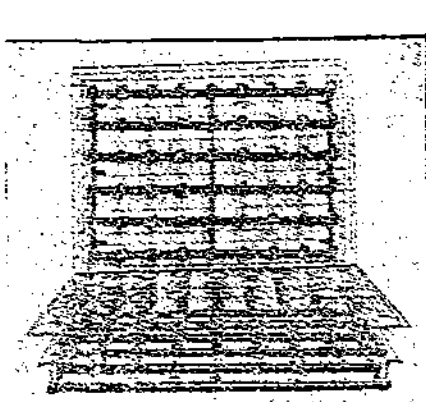
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Prepare Yourself for the Great
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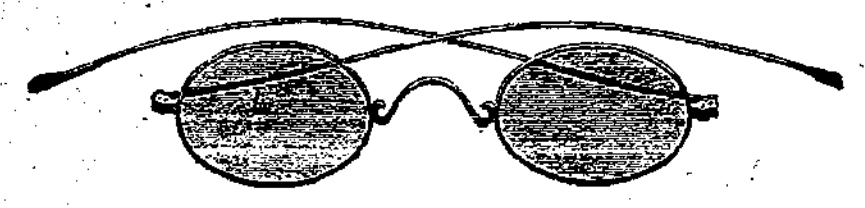
This is fair notice to everybody in Charleroi that we expect them to attend this sale and to buy all the bargains we will offer. Nothing just like this sale has ever happened before. The values in domestics and white goods and linens have never been equaled and the offerings in the second floor in the suit room and the millinery department we made with the intentions of quickly selling a large amount of stock.

Today A very important sale of muslin underwear. The choice of a full stock of the finest and best made garments in the city. The underwear is very unusual in many ways. The quality of the materials, the beauty of the trimmings, and the faultless cut and style of the entire garment. We are underwear leaders in more ways than in price.

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Mrs. S. B. McGarvey of Clairton and Mrs. Charles Robinson of Uniontown spent yesterday with Mrs. R. J. Lysie of McKean avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kuth of Uniontown were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuth of McKean avenue over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters were at Fayette City this afternoon attending the funeral of Mrs. Adliza Weed who died at her home in Pittsburg on Saturday. Mrs. Weed was well known in this vicinity.

The Young Ladies' Altar Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold a social in the basement of the church on Wednesday evening of this week. Friends of the society are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served and games arranged to while away the evening in a pleasant way. 248t2

William Hott left on Sunday for Frostburg, Md., where he will spend two weeks with friends and relatives.

Roy Richards, who is employed in Wilkingsburg, spent Memorial Day in Charleroi at his home.

Thomas Youngman of Toronto, Ohio, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of his parents, on Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Thomas Riley and Mrs. Anthony Bronder are in Pittsburg today to attend the funeral of the latter's brother-in-law, Jacob Bronder.

Mrs. Edward Youngman of Bradock is spending a few days with friends in Charleroi.

Alex. Bradock of Fayette City spent Monday in Charleroi with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters returned yesterday from a few days visit with their son, Edgar B. Walters at Morgantown, W. Va.

R. H. Rush, cashier of the First National Bank, spent Memorial Day in Uniontown with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meyers are in Hancock, Md., where they will spend several days.

Gracian Food For Dreamers.
Hasheesh, the strange drug which has given our language its word "assassin"—a man so frenzied by the drug that he accomplishes murder—is used by the Persians, Turks and Egyptians in a manner akin to the use of opium by the Chinese. It is the product of a plant grown in large quantities in the Peloponnesus (southern Greece), in the district about Tripolitza. The plant grows to a height of about four feet, and its branches are thickly covered with small leaves and studded with tiny seeds. The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes the drug. The drug has the power of inducing sleep and producing pleasant and fantastic dreams. Continued use of hasheesh renders its devotees reckless and results in a wreck of their mental and physical constitution.—Medical Standard.

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WANTED Several good men and women agents for weekly industrial Accident and Health Insurance. Salary and commission. Write stating name and address to Box 7, Charleroi, Pa. May 29 June. 247t2p

P. & W. Va. League.

Yesterday's Results.

Clarksburg.....1	Fairmont.....0
Connellsville.....5	Uniontown.....0
Charlottesville.....1	Charlottesville.....1
Uniontown.....9	Connellsville.....1
Fairmont.....10	Clarksburg.....4
Grafton.....5	Charlottesville.....3

Standing of the Clubs.

Fairmont.....18	W. L. Pet. 720
Uniontown.....11	11 500
Clarksburg.....12	14 462
Connellsville.....11	14 440
Grafton.....11	14 440
Charlottesville.....10	13 435

Today's Schedule.

Clarksburg at Uniontown
Charlottesville at Connellsville.
Fairmont at Grafton.

HERE IS RELIEF FOR WOMEN.

If you have pains in the back, urinary, bladder or kidney trouble and want a certain, pleasant herb relief from Women's ills, try Mother Gray's "AUSTRIAN-LEAF." It is a safe, reliable, regular, and relieves all Female Weaknesses, including inflammation and ulcerations. Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf is sold by Druggists or sent by mail for 50 cts. Sample sent FREE. Address: The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N.Y.

Notice to Contractors.

The school board of West Pike Run township will receive bids up until 2 o'clock Saturday, June 5, 1909, for the building of an addition of two rooms to the Daley town school building. Plans and specifications can be seen at the home of the secretary. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
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May 29, 1909

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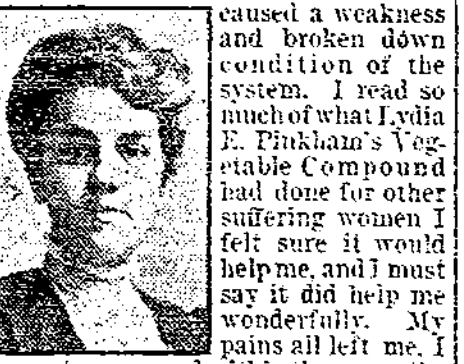
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